

## **AMENDMENT**

Application #	09/982,992
Confirmation #	7767
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First Inventor	PATTI et al.
Art Unit	1645
Examiner	Hines, Jana A
Docket #	P06922US02/BAS

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated March 24, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims provided herewith in Attachment A.

Remarks to this Amendment are provided herewith in Attachment B.

Excerpts from the Revised Interim Written Description Guidelines Training

Materials are provided in Appendix 1.

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application is sought for the reasons as stated in the attached Remarks.

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